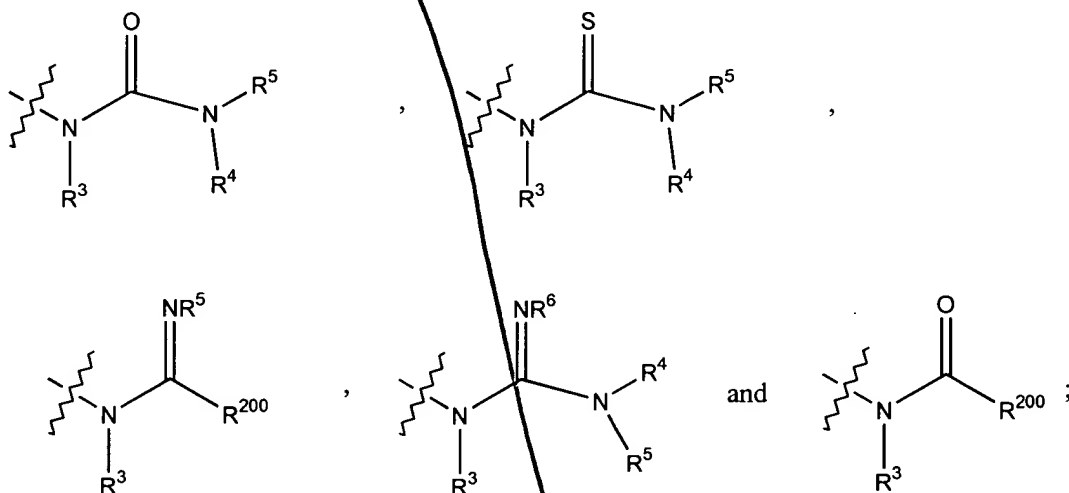


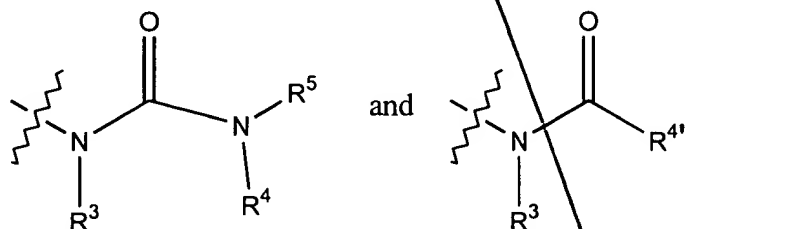
Please amend claims 5-8, 10, 15, 27 and 30 to read as follows:

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5. The compound according to either of claims 1 or 2, wherein R is selected from the group consisting of:



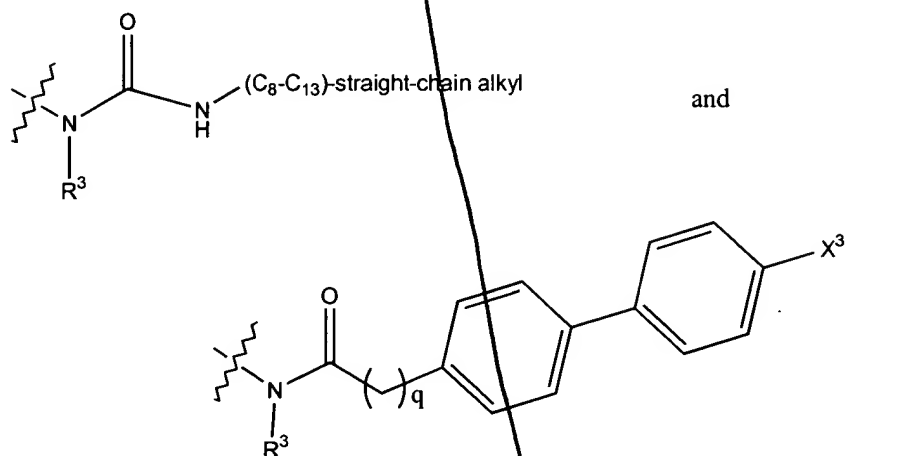
wherein each of R<sup>3</sup>, R<sup>4</sup>, R<sup>5</sup>, and R<sup>6</sup> is independently selected from the group consisting of hydrido, alkyl, aryl, heterocyclyl and heteroaryl, and wherein R<sup>200</sup> is selected from the group consisting of hydrido, aryl, heterocyclyl, and heteroaryl.

6. The compound according to claim 5, wherein R is selected from



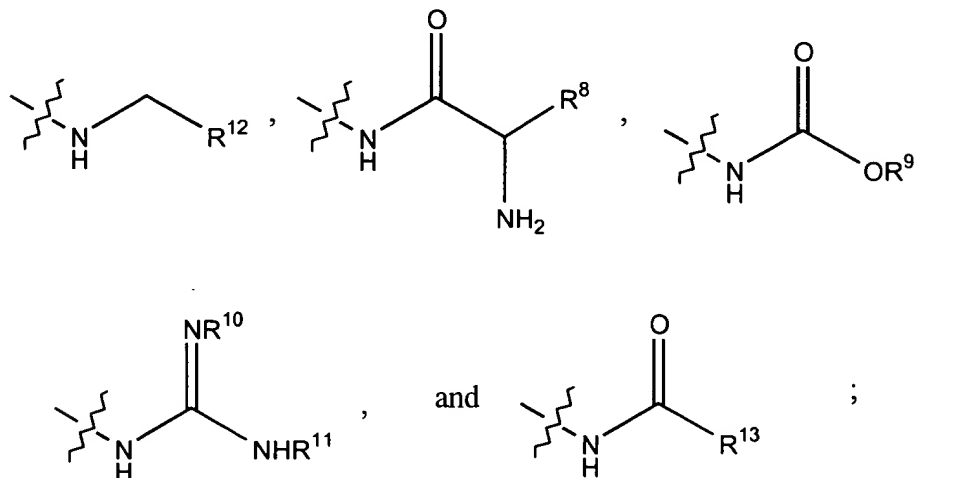
wherein R<sup>4'</sup> is selected from the group consisting of substituted phenyl, heteroaryl, and heterocyclyl.

7. The compound according to claim 6, wherein R is selected from the group consisting of



wherein  $\text{X}^3$  is chloro or trifluoromethyl and wherein q is 0.

8. The compound according to either of claims 1 or 2, wherein  $\text{R}^1$  is selected from the group consisting of:



wherein  $\text{R}^8$  is selected from a natural amino acid side chain or an amino acid side chain that is not naturally occurring;

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wherein each of  $R^9$ ,  $R^{10}$  and  $R^{11}$  is selected from hydrido, alkyl, aryl, heterocyclyl and heteroaryl;

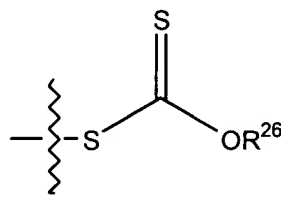
wherein  $R^{12}$  is selected from the group consisting of heterocyclyl, heteroaryl, aryl, and alkyl and

wherein  $R^{13}$  is selected from ( $C_1$ - $C_3$ -alkyl) and aryl.

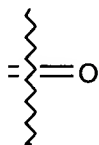
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10. The compound according to either of claims 1 or 2, wherein J is selected from

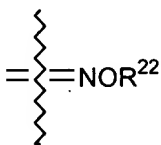
the group consisting of hydrido, amino, azido and



wherein  $R^{17}$  and  $R^{18}$  taken together form a group selected from ketal,



and



or wherein  $R^{17}$  is hydroxyl when  $R^{18}$  is hydrido;

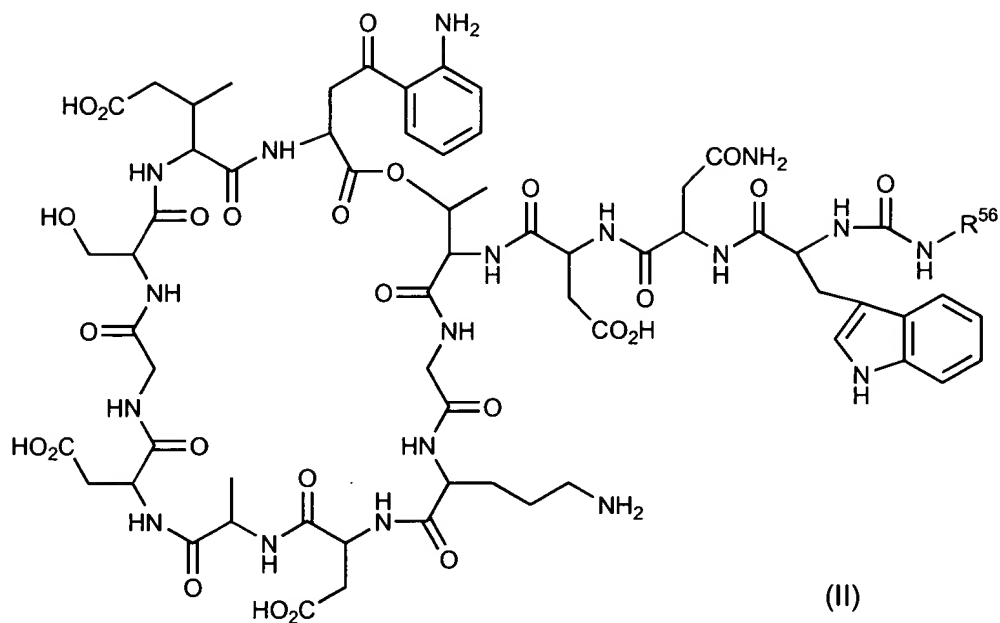
or wherein J, together with  $R^{17}$ , forms a heterocyclyl ring.

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15. A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound according to either of claims 1 or 2 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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27. The compound of claim 1 having the formula (II):



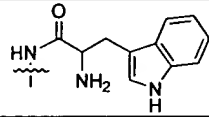
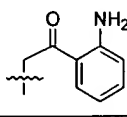
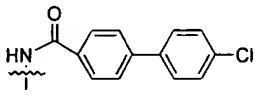
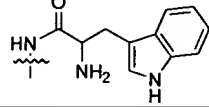
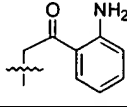
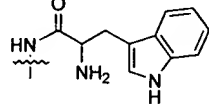
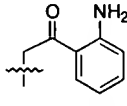
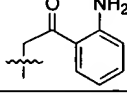
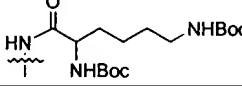
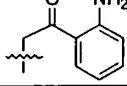
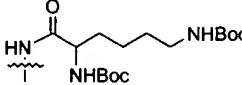
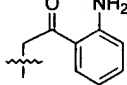
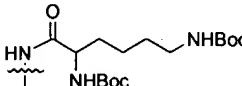
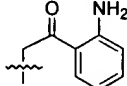
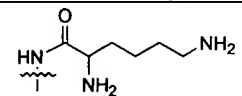
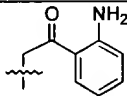
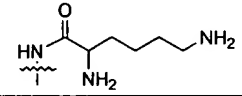
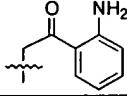
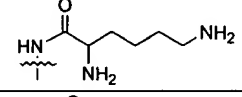
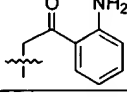
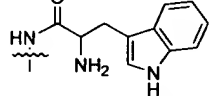
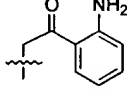
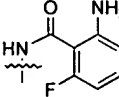
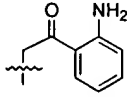

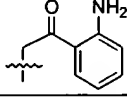
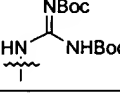
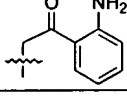
wherein R<sup>56</sup> is an optionally substituted straight-chain C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>14</sub> alkyl group.

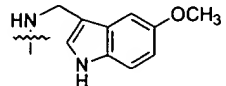
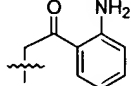
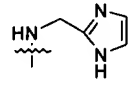
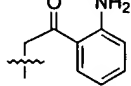
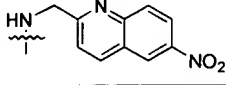
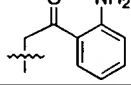
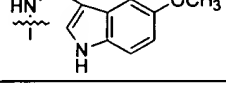
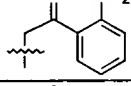
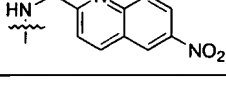
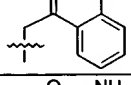
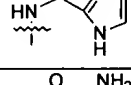
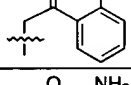
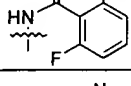
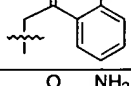
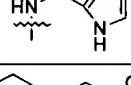
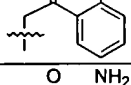
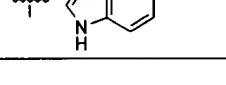
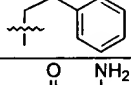
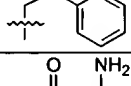
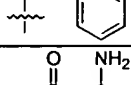
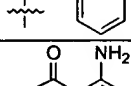
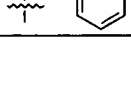
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30. A method of using the compound according to claim 27 to make a compound according to either of claims 1 or 2.

Please add new claims 31 and 32.

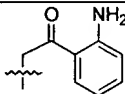
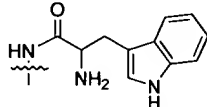
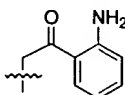
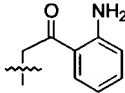
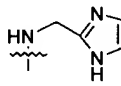
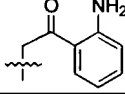
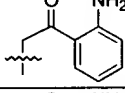
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31. The compound according to either of claims 1 or 2 wherein said compound is selected from

Cpd #	R	R <sup>1</sup>	R <sup>2</sup>
1	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>7</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	
2	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>11</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	

3	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
5			
17	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{11}\text{CH}_3$		
48	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$	$\text{NH}_2$	
56	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
57	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
58	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{11}\text{CH}_3$		
62	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
63	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
64	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{11}\text{CH}_3$		
69	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
70	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
71	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
75	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		

76	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_7\text{CH}_3$		
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108	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
113	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
114	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{CH}_3$		
117	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_3$	NHBoc	
118	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_3$	$\text{NH}_2$	
119	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{CH}_3$	NHBoc	
120	$\text{NHCONH}(\text{CH}_2)_9\text{CH}_3$	$\text{NH}_2$	

32. The compound according to claim 31 wherein said compound is selected from

Cpd #	R	R <sup>1</sup>	R <sup>2</sup>
2	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>11</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	
3	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>10</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>		
48	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>10</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	
89	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>11</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>		
118	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>8</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	
120	NHCONH(CH <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>9</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	NH <sub>2</sub>	